UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI EASTERN DIVISION

TIMMY L. SUMPTER,)	
Petitioner,)	
VS.)	Case No. 4:07CV1407 HEA
ALAN BLAKE,)	
Respondent)	

ORDER

This matter is before the Court upon the application of Timmy L. Sumpter for leave to commence this action without payment of the required filing fee. Upon consideration of the financial information provided with the application, the undersigned finds that the applicant is financially unable to pay any portion of the filing fee.

Therefore,

IT IS HEREBY ORDERED that petitioner's motion for leave to proceed in forma pauperis [Doc. #6] is **GRANTED**. *See* 28 U.S.C. § 1915.

Dated this 12th day of September, 2007.

HENRY EDWARD AUTREY UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE

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